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HUTCHINS RECEIVES HIGHEST MUSIC AWARD AT UM

MISSOULA--

Eric Hutchins has been named Presser Scholar for 1983-84 at the University of Montana, the highest honor a UM music major can receive, according to Donald W. Simmons, department chairman. Hutchins is the son of Edwin and Dorothy Hutchins, Ardmore, Pa.

A recipient of the \$1,000 scholarship is selected each year by the music faculty, with approval of the chairman of the department and the president of the University. The award will be presented formally to Hutchins at the annual honors convocation fall quarter.

Presser scholarships are funded by the Presser Foundation, named for Theodore Presser, founder of the Presser publishing house. They are made available to selected distinguished music schools and departments.

Hutchins plays trumpet with the UM Jazz Workshop and the UM Chamber Orchestra. He is principal trumpeter of the Missoula Civic Symphony. He majors in music education and minors in composition.

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